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SUMMARY

Aisha Pittman, MHP, is the senior vice president of Government Affairs. In her role, Pittman leads NAACOS' work to promote legislative and regulatory policies that will advance ACOs. She is a recognized thought leader with over 20 years of experience in healthcare payment, alternative payment models, healthcare quality and health information technology.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

National Association of ACOs, Washington, DC

NAACOS is a member-led and member-owned nonprofit of more than 400 ACOs working to improve quality while reducing costs.

Senior Vice President, Government Affairs (7/2022 to present)

- Advocate for policies to advance ACOs and value-based care through member and stakeholder coalitions
- Support shared member shared learning to promote best practices for succeeding in value-based care arrangements

Premier, Inc., Washington, DC

Premier, Inc. (NASDAQ: PINC) unites more than 4,400 hospitals and 225,000 other providers to transform healthcare.

Vice President, Policy (9/2019 to 7/2022)

Senior Director, Policy & Analysis (1/2017 to 9/2019)

Director, Policy & Analysis (4/2015 to 12/2016)

- Strategic leader responsible for defining and executing forward-focused healthcare strategy and policy on healthcare payment, value-based care, alternative payment models and quality
- Spokesperson to lawmakers, the Administration, health care experts and health systems; represent Premier on external committees and boards
- Continued engagement with media resulting in numerous quotes, guiding the development of research and other publications to advance policy positions
- Analyze market and policy trend including federal programs, Medicare Advantage, commercial insurance and emerging healthcare companies
- Provide expertise in evolving and challenging regulatory environment to help health systems understand, shape, and effectively operate in the ever-changing environment.
- Manage policy team of two; lead advocacy team of ten; influence management of cross-functional of teams

CenterLight Healthcare, Bronx, NY

CenterLight Healthcare is a nonprofit organization providing managed care and care delivery in New York State.

Assistant Vice President, Quality (2/2014 to 4/2015)

- Foundational development of corporate quality and performance improvement programs for health plan, certified home health agency, and licensed home care service agency lines of business
- Support corporate initiatives and new product development, ensuring quality objectives are incorporated in operational design
- Departmental restructuring to address current and future quality needs; direct supervision of eight employees
- Organizational change management to implement strategic quality objectives

National Quality Forum, Washington, DC

NQF is a is an independent, not-for-profit, membership-based organization that brings healthcare stakeholders together to recommend quality measures and improvement strategies that reduce costs and help patients get better care.

Senior Director, Strategic Partnerships (1/2013 to 2/2014)
Senior Program Director, Strategic Partnerships (2/2011 to 12/2012)

Strategic Development/Content Expertise

- Led projects that provide input to the Secretary of Health and Human Services on the use of performance measures for public reporting and performance-based payment programs
- Created a strategic plan for progressively enhancing the Measure Applications Partnership's (MAP) input to HHS; implementing tactics related to stakeholder engagement and evaluation
- Provided content expertise in federal performance measurement programs for clinicians, post-acute care providers, long-term care providers, hospice, and plans in the health insurance exchanges/marketplaces
- Developed frameworks related to measurement of affordability, cardiovascular and diabetes care, and care provided to individuals with multiple chronic conditions
- Managed multiple cross-departmental teams, ensuring adherence to project timelines and budget; direct supervision of four employees
- Developed technical proposals, organizational staffing plans, and budgets
- Led multi-stakeholder expert groups, managed relationships with external stakeholders, and oversight of report production

Maryland Health Care Commission, Baltimore, MD

MHCC is an independent regulatory agency responsible for providing information on availability, cost, and quality of health care services to policy makers, purchasers, providers, and the public.

Chief, Health Plan Quality and Performance (12/2009 to 2/2011)

- Directed a division responsible for evaluating the quality of care and performance of Maryland health plans
- Monitored local and national health care environment for beneficial changes in state policy; developed legislative proposals and state regulations
- Led multi-stakeholder effort to increase reporting of racial, ethnic, and language preference data
- Provided technical and fiscal oversight of state contractors
- Developed requests for proposals and serve on proposal review committees
- Engaged employers and employer groups, health plans, and other stakeholders on current state issues and initiatives
- Presented to commissioners and support state legislators as needed

National Committee for Quality Assurance, Washington, DC

NCQA is a private nonprofit dedicated to promoting health care quality through measurement, transparency, and accountability.

Manager/ Senior Health Care Analyst, Performance Measurement (4/2006 to 12/2009) Health Care Analyst, Survey Vendor Certification (9/2004- 4/2006)

- Led the development of innovative strategic projects, including development of quality measures for pharmacy services, assessing appropriateness and overuse, assessing Medicare Advantage Special Needs Plans, and identifying best practices to address health care disparities
- Managed technical and financial performance of grants and federal contracts resulting in successful contract and grant procurement
- Managed multi-level, cross-departmental project teams; directly supervised two employees, responsible for professional development and annual performance reviews
- Represented the organization, presenting at educational conferences and to various stakeholders/clients and serving as liaison to partner organizations, clients and external committees
- Managed and convened expert panels composed of academic researchers, medical directors and other key stakeholders
- Produced, published and presented reports and white papers for multiple audiences

EDUCATION

Master of Public Health, Health Policy. The George Washington University. December 2005

Received Special Project/Practicum Award for thesis paper on policies to promote physician adoption of electronic medical records

Bachelor of Science in Biology, Bachelor of Arts in Psychology. The George Washington University. May 2003